

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-20 (Cancelled)

21. (Currently Amended) A customizable interface comprising:

a user interface including a plurality of actuatable input elements, each input element adapted for association with control of at least one of a plurality of functions of an associated device with a document processing operation;

sensing means adapted for sensing actuation of one of the plurality of actuatable elements;

means adapted for receiving selection data representative of a selected subset of the plurality of functions ~~associated with the document processing operation~~ corresponding to a sensed actuation by the sensing means, wherein the selection data is defined by at least one of a commonly used function and a most recently invoked function;

means adapted for associating the selected subset of the plurality of functions with a second of the plurality of actuatable elements such that the selected subset is invoked upon user selection thereof; and

means adapted for generating an indicator representative of the selected subset of being associated with the specified input element; and

means adapted for communicating data representative of a selected subset of the plurality of functions to the associated device for control thereof.

22. (Cancelled)

23. (Previously Presented) The customizable interface of claim 22, wherein the indicator is comprised of an indicia including at least one of a unique name, symbol and color associated with the specified input element.

24. (Previously Presented) The customizable interface of claim 23, wherein the specified input element is a virtual key.

25. (Previously Presented) The customizable interface of claim 24, wherein the virtual key is located apart from the plurality of actuatable input elements.

26. (Previously Presented) The customizable interface of claim 21, wherein the actuatable input elements are alphanumeric input elements.

27. (Currently Amended) A computer-readable medium with computer-readable instructions stored thereon for customizable interface comprising:

instructions for a user interface including a plurality of actuatable input elements, each input element adapted for association with control of at least one of a plurality of functions of an associated device with a document processing operation;

instructions for sensing actuation of one of the plurality of actuatable elements;

instructions for receiving selection data representative of a selected subset of the plurality of functions ~~associated with the document processing operation corresponding to a sensed actuation by the sensing means, wherein the selection data is defined by at least one of a~~ commonly used function and a most recently invoked function;

instructions for associating the selected subset of the plurality of functions with a second of the plurality of actuatable elements such that the selected subset is invoked; and

instructions for generating an indicator representative of the selected subset of being associated with the specified input element; and

instructions for communicating data representative of a selected subset of the plurality of functions to the associated device for control thereof.

28. (Cancelled)

29. (Previously Presented) The computer-readable medium with computer-readable instructions stored thereon for a customizable interface of claim 28, wherein the indicator is comprised of an indicia including at least one of a unique name, symbol and color associated with the specified input element.

30. (Previously Presented) The computer-readable medium with computer-readable instructions stored thereon for a customizable interface of claim 29, wherein the specified input element is a virtual key.

31. (Previously Presented) The computer-readable medium with computer-readable instructions stored thereon for a customizable interface of claim 30, wherein the virtual key is located apart from the plurality of actuatable input elements.

32. (Previously Presented) The computer-readable medium with computer-readable instructions stored thereon for a customizable interface of claim 27, wherein the actuatable input elements are alphanumeric input elements.